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ELD. Z. T. WILLIAMS' LETTER.

From Constantinople to Athens.

May 13, 1900.

Editor of the News:

We are now on board ship Montenegro, an Italian vessel, new and elegant, bound from Constantinople to Brindisi Italy.

We spent two days in Constantinople, and while this is a short time to give a city of such magnitude, yet we felt satisfied to leave it and go our way homeward. I feel now that we are really shortening the distance every mile we make between us and home.

Our party of eight are still together and will perhaps remain so to Rome or Milan, Italy.

We are having a fine time and working hard to see all the places possible of interest. We landed at Constantinople Monday morning at 7:30, May 14th, and took lodging at the Kedivial Palace Hotel. We bargained for five francs per day, which was much cheaper than the regular price. It was a splendid hotel, everything nice and clean, and we had no trouble in settling our bills, as we have had, for extra charges.

We arranged with a dragoman for ten francs per day for all the party, and after getting some checks cashed and arranging for ship and tickets to Athens, we spent the remainder of the day sight seeing. We fully expected a letter from home at this place, but were disappointed; but Bro. McGarvey had two letters from his wife at Columbia, which spoke of our friends and loved ones, and through his letters I learned that all were well at home.

The next morning at 9 o'clock we took our baggage and drove across the bridge, over the Golden Horn to the Museum. We saw there some very interesting sarcophagi, one especially of importance, said to be that of Alexander the Great. It is the finest of Pontic marble. It is 10 feet 8 inches long; 5 feet 7 inches broad and 2 feet 6 inches deep; and was excavated at Sidon, Syria, by Hamdi Bey in 1887. It is not supposed that the body of Alexander the Great was ever put in it, but that it belongs to the latter part of the fourth century. The sculptures on the sides and ends represent battle combats, Greek and Persian soldiers, hunters, etc. There is one also of King Tabuth, of Sidon, discovered at Sidon about the same time. It is black Egyptian stone and Egyptian style. On the top of this in one Phoenician hieroglyphics is found these words: "I Tabuth, Priest of Ashtaroth, King of Sidon, son of Esharoth, King of Sidon, King of Ashtaroth, King of the Sidonians, lie here under this covering. O, thou man, whoever thou be, who shall discover my tomb, open it not and disturb me not, for there is neither gold nor silver there, nor is there any treasure, nor any precious stone. I alone lie here; open not therefore my tomb, nor do thou violate it in any manner whatsoever, and if thou dost open my tomb or violate it in any manner whatsoever, may the sun never rest upon thee." Contrary to the foregoing inscription a number of jewels and precious stones were found in this sarcophagus, and also the kings corps in good state of preservation, at Sidon, by Hamdi Bey.

The mosque of St. Sophia was next visited. It is one of the oldest and finest built in the world. It was first built of wood by Constantine the Great in 326 A. D. It was enlarged and re-built by Justinian in 532. In the year 587 Justinian, the Roman Emperor, gathered material and employed the best architects and re-built it. It is claimed that one hundred architects were employed, each having a hundred workmen under him. Superstition says that the plan of the Church had been revealed to the Emperor in a dream. So superstition was the prime factor in the re-building of St. Sophia, and led to its down to the present day. A favorite one is that the church is haunted every Easter

evening by choruses of angels, whose chanting is audible to the pious, who may be in the building at the time. There is a hole in one of the columns which is said to be always moist from sweat, and he who has disease and rub it with his finger in this hole and rub it on his head will be well. I did not try it.

The mosque is in circular form, as all of them are, and is 235 feet N. and S. and 250 E. and W. The top of the dome is 155 feet from the ground. The dome itself is 46 feet high and 107 in diameter. The material used in the construction of the dome were white and extremely light brick, being only the twelfth of the weight of an ordinary brick. This church is where St. John Christostom preached, who lived in the latter part of the 4th century. The church was converted into a mosque after the capture of Constantinople by the Turks, and Mohammed, the II, first said his prayers in it on Friday, June 1, 1453, and the beginning of the reign of the Ottoman government. There are about nine other fine mosques in the city, but when you have seen one you have seen all, there is such a sameness about them. The bazaars of the city are the finest we have seen in the Orient. They cover an area of several acres, and consist of long narrow vaulted streets, roofed by small domes, admitting the light through small windows. They are owned by the Turks principally. They generally ask about three prices for their goods, and if you offer them a price in the range of one-third, they will finally take it.

A few words about Constantinople and we leave it. It is the Capital of the Ottoman Empire and is situated at the junction of the Bosphorus and the Sea of Marmora, and is said to be composed of three different towns, viz: Stambul, Galata-Pera and Skutari. The two first named are on the European shore and are divided by the Golden Horn, while the latter lies on the Asiatic shore, and is separated from the city of Bosphorus. Stambul, or Constantinople proper, occupies the site of the ancient Byzantium, and like ancient Rome, is built on seven hills. The Strait of Bosphorus is 10 miles long and connects the Sea of Marmora and the Black Sea. We took a boat ride up the Bosphorus 7 or 8 miles in order to get the best view of the different cities. The Golden Horn, divides its name from its shape. It has some resemblance to a ram's horn. Some of our party took a boat ride on the Asiatic shore. The Sultan resides here and is titled Abd-ul-Hamid II, and is the thirty-fourth Ottoman Sultan since the foundation of the Turkish dynasty. He is 58 years of age and has reigned 34 years. He is said to be of a generous, kindly disposition, and one of the most hardworking, energetic Sultans Turkey has ever had; and is extremely popular with most of his subjects. He is not seen in public only on Fridays, when he goes to a private mosque for worship and then strongly guarded by thousands of soldiers. His palace is situated on the heights on the European shore of the Bosphorus, facing the Marmora entrance to the harbor. His salary is \$8,325,000. Has 20 palaces and spends more money than any living man. He is said to be kind to the poor, and furnishes money for many of the poor Mohammedans. The population is mixed—Turks, Greeks, Armenians, Jews, etc. There are about 100,000,000 people. The typical Turk is rather indolent, and drinking and debauchery with him is a favorite pastime. He is smoking and drinking Turkish coffee. The Greeks and Armenians are merchants and shopkeepers. Roberts' College, an American school, is situated here on the hills of the Bosphorus, and is a fine institution, not degrading as it was established about 1859 as Roberts' College by Mr. Roberts, of New York.

We had the pleasure of spend-

ing the last night of our stay here in the homes of our beloved missionaries, Bros. Shishmanian and Chapman; and it was a treat indeed to meet these good brethren and sisters face to face in the field. Bros. Duncan, Crossfield, McGarvey and myself dined with them and spent the night. Sister Shishmanian is a typical Kentuckian, from Lexington, and she certainly knows how to entertain. It was the first privilege had enjoyed for more than two months—of dining in a private home and having our meals served in the good old-fashioned way—cooking home-like; fried chickens, cat-soup, strawberries, preserves, jam, butter, oat meal, etc. McGarvey and myself ate until we were full one time more. These brethren have a school and church here and are doing a good work. There are about 100 pupils in attendance. We had a sword service that night which we enjoyed very much.

We now bid farewell to Constantinople, feeling satisfied with our new knowledge of her, and can now reflect and meditate upon her former greatness and her present facilities. This is one of the cities that was a rival of Rome in the departure of the simplicity of the Apostolic church, and was tending toward apostasy. But Rome that had so long enjoyed temporal supremacy finally prevailed, and now Mohammedanism prevails, and the religion of the meek and lowly Nazarene has been corrupted largely by its would be devotees.

We are now in Athens the Capital of nation that has figured largely in ancient history. My next will be from Athens to Naples. We hope to be in Paris now by June 10th, start home about the 25th of June.

About Bees.

Comb honey will have a blue or muddy appearance in cold weather, but no harm will come from this.

Combs should be handled with care during cold weather, as they are then very easily broken.

Honey that has granulated can be readily melted by putting the vessel that contains it in boiling water until it melts.

To be successful in handling bees we must avoid handling or molesting them in cold or cool weather.

Bees secrete wax only at times, and when necessary to furnish storage room for honey or brood.

There is no danger from robbers if a colony is in proper condition.

Robbing is almost certain if a colony is allowed to remain queenless.

Upon opening a hive the absence of brood is a sure sign of a virgin queen or no queen at all. This condition must be remedied.

All section boxes or frames of honey of any kind that are intended for market or home use should be removed from the hive now.

To handle bees with the most satisfaction select the warm, bright days, when the bees are flying most. There is less danger of stings then.

Honey that has been well refined in the hive before being taken out is much better than that which is taken out as soon as capped.

Bees require air all the time. They breathe quantities of moisture, which must be carried off by a free circulation of air.

A good fall flow of honey always places the bees in the best possible position for wintering. Without such a fall flow feeding in nearly all cases will be necessary.

Empty combs that are not in the hives and protected by the bees are in danger of being destroyed by moth worms. If signs of them appear fumigate the combs with burning sulphur.

All unfinished comb honey in supers should be removed carefully from the hives and placed securely and kept clean and bright for use next season.

After cold weather sets in it is no safe to feed liquids. The only thing that can be used is candy, which may be made from granulated sugar.

AN APPEAL TO DEMOCRACY.

We will now enter another campaign: The Republican principles to arrange. We will have many a battle cry: The trusts and combines we defy. We'll be friendly to the railways When they in their right place stay. Let's induce Goebel's Gate fight Against wrong and for the right. Let's denounce assassination, And such crimes as usurpation. Lets call on all Democrats to unite, And carry on a successful fight, For "Goebelian" as some see fit to call, And Republicanism will fall. Now, to carry the State we're very lucky. And take advantage by hook and crook. Let's declare against Taylor, Finley, And Bryan Powers and even McKinley. Among National issues galore, Lets declare against silver never more. Against the "Foto Rican Tariff Bill" Lets take a stand with intent to kill; And take advantage by hook and crook. Let's take the "voluminous bill" is off the book. Against the Gold Standard let's declare, And wage a never-ceasing warfare. And let us do you believe, And think me not wanting to deceive, I only ask one thing more of you: Then surely at present I'll be through. Think of this an honest truth, Just as you start into the booth: On one thing the Democrats are bent: That is to make Bryan President.

SAUNDERS, J. W.

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ROWENA.

Mr. F. A. Curi, who has been here for several months, has returned to his home at McMinnville, Tenn. He made many friends while here.

Mr. Dudley McFarland is taking the census in this district.

Mr. J. N. Meadows will teach again at this place. He is an excellent teacher.

Mr. Luther Wheat, Denmark, visited Mr. Hiram Ballou last Sunday.

Messrs. Brown and Drake, who have had a saw-mill at this place for some time, shipped it on the St. Dudley to their home, McMinnville, Tenn.

Mr. Otis Taylor, Montpelier, was in this community last week, looking for a school.

Good boat tide. They are making regular trips.

Mr. A. H. Rowe's house was struck by lightning not long ago. It struck in the chimney, running down into the room, where his wife and children were; shocking Mrs. Rowe very badly and paralyzed his daughter, Besie's arm for a while. We are glad it did no more damage.

We have a new boat running the river by the name of Rowena.

Rev. King, assisted by Rev. Johnson and wife, of Wilmore, will begin a series of meetings at this place the second Sunday in July.

The Cuban postoffice scandal is going to make the Republican campaign more costly, but it is in the hands of the men who don't care a "contention" for expenses.

Lord Roberts is a great General, but like nearly every other man who has gained eminence as a military commander his success has been owing to overwhelming superiority in numbers and resources.

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GORDON MONTGOMERY, Secretary.

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"The marvelous cure of Mrs. Rena J. Stout's Consumption has created intense excitement in Cummach, Ind." writes Marion Stuart, a leading druggist of Muncie, Ind. She only weighed 90 pounds when her doctor in Yorktown said she must soon die. There she began to use Dr. King's New Discovery and gained 37 pounds in weight and was completely cured." It has cured thousands of hopeless cases, and is positively guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung diseases, at \$5.00 and \$10.00. Trial bottles free at T. E. Paul's drug store.

Wrecked.

Fifteen people were injured and three killed in the wreck at Calvary yesterday evening. The passenger train was coming from Lebanon when part of the bridge gave way carrying the engine and all cars excepting the hindmost coach into the water below. The hindmost coach resting on the bridge bottom.

The bridge was being repaired and there were nine bridge carpenters on the bridge at the time, three of them were killed, and several others injured, James Huston, Walter Miller and another man were those who were killed.

The injured were confined mostly to the employees of the railroad.

Len Spaulding, of Lebanon, was seriously hurt.

Claud Hobson, of Cummach, is seriously hurt, he is a brother to Charles, Wm. and Norman Hobson, of this place.

Engineer Ed Smith, and Fireman Henry Martin and the Baggage Master Ezra Hagan, were seriously hurt.

It was reported here that Mr. Vance Gowdy was killed in the wreck, but he came off without a scratch. No one in the back coach was seriously injured.—Times-Journal June 20.

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I awoke last night with severe pains in my stomach. I never felt so badly in all my life. When I came down to work this morning I felt so weak I could hardly work. I went to Miller & McCurdy's drug store and they recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It worked like magic and one dose freed me of all my troubles. It is certainly the finest thing I ever used for stomach trouble. I shall not be without it in my home hereafter, for I should not care to endure the sufferings of last night again for fifty times its price.—G. H. Wilson, Livermore, Burgetstown, Washington Co., Pa. This remedy is for sale by M. Craven.

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6 inch	\$6.00	\$9.00	\$12.00	\$15.00	\$18.00
7 inch	\$7.00	\$10.50	\$14.00	\$17.50	\$21.00
8 inch	\$8.00	\$12.00	\$16.00	\$20.00	\$24.00
9 inch	\$9.00	\$13.50	\$18.00	\$22.50	\$27.00
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C. S. HARRIS, Chairman.

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Rev. Finer, who was shot at Hopkinsville by Mr. Ware, is in a critical condition.

Hanna has got his old job. He was re-elected Chairman of the National Committee and will conduct the present campaign upon the buying plan.

A man with political aspirations and is without sticktoitiveness, is between the devil and the deep blue sea when it comes to distributing pie—"old mahogany," you know.

Here is a piece of news that the society ladies of Columbia will be glad to learn: Lady Randolph Churchill has announced that her marriage to Lieut. George Cornwallis West, of the Scots Guard, will take place in July.

Thirty-five passengers and trainmen were dashed to death last Saturday night in a wreck on the Macon branch of the Southern railway, near McDonough, Ga. The train ran into a wreck, and all those on board were escaped death save those in the sleeping car. Not a trainman escaped. The wreckage caught fire and many of the unfortunate were burned to death.

Congressman Boring is in the middle of a bad fix over the disposition of the London postoffice. It is said that the Congressman promised the place to Mr. A. R. Dyche, editor of the Mountain Echo. But Mr. Boring's daughter is undecided what he will do. It occurs to us that under the circumstances that Dyche ought to settle the matter by getting out the way.

The Republican National Convention held in Philadelphia last week was a harmonious gathering of distinguished men from every State. It is claimed by Republicans, and admitted by Democrats, that they have named the strongest ticket within their power. From a Republican standpoint, doubtless, the action of this convention is highly gratifying; that they feel confident of victory in November; but the nomination of McKinley and Roosevelt did not produce consternation in Democratic circles or even create a ripple of doubt as to the result next fall. The admission that the Republicans have made a strong and popular ticket, does not indicate that they can ride over the will of the great mass of American people. The fight is yet to be made, and it is but fair to our common political adversaries to admit the personal popularity of their tickets and that it is equally fair and an imperative duty, as we see it, for Democrats to understand the strength of their enemy. While Mr. McKinley stands for all that the Republican party demands, while he has listened to and obeyed the edicts of the Republican head- lights, and while the politicians of his party in their convention seem to have harmonized all differences, yet all this does not preclude defeat. The tail of their ticket—the Rough Rider, personally is a popular favorite in the Republican party. His administration in New York has been a popular one, and while Mr. Roosevelt may be the idol of many Republicans, yet this does not insure success to their hopes and ambition. The Democrats will meet July 16th, and then there will be another popular ticket named. It will not be popular by reason of having bowed the knee to trusts and combines, cutting the throats of legitimate competition; it will not derive its popularity by Europeanizing its financial system by having bowed to the golden calf; it will lay no claim to that popularity, derived by means of an imperial policy—the conquering and subjugation of millions of people in the Philippines, six thousand miles from our nearest shore, when they were engaged in a dreadful conflict to overthrow Spanish oppression and establish a government for themselves, and no word of popularity will be claimed by reason of favoring partisan favoritism under the disgusting disguise of the civil service laws. To the contrary the popularity of the ticket to be named in Kansas City will be a union of personal and political—the men and the principles for which they contend. There has never arisen in the political world, a more popular man than W. J. Bryan—a man of learning, a man of powerful mind whose fidelity to the great mass of American people is as thoroughly established as was that of Washington, Jackson and Jefferson. The popularity of the Kansas City nominees and the great declaration of principles that will be embodied into its platform, will electrify the Democratic party and all outside reform sources, and make it one of the most fearful tickets that the party of Mark Hanna ever met. To know that the Republicans have named their strongest men inspires an extraordinary effort on the part of Democrats, and such an effort will place the control of this government into the hands of Democrats. The Republicans can not hope for success on the personality of their tickets; they must meet their record and that record will defeat them in the end. "No question has been settled until it is settled right." The great mass of American people believe in self government; they believe that other people should conduct their own affairs and shape their own destinies so long as they do not conflict with the rights of our people or infringe upon our neighbors; they believe in expanding our trade by means of legitimate and peaceful actions, and not by the power of the sword. They believe in the Monroe doctrine that has kept our National policy through many troubles of the past, and it is only a small part of our people who endorse an alliance with England, but there are millions who cling to the conviction that had Wm. McKinley lived in colonial times, he would have been Mayor of Boston, there would have been more tea in the world; that the bloody conflict that followed would have been averted and the

recognition of King George maintained. The fact is, judging from McKinley's action toward England, the Republican party should have denounced the Boers for trying to maintain their Republic. Yes, they have named a strong ticket, so to speak, but not strong enough to win by reason of its avowed purpose of continuing the same policies.

The Republican platform favors such legislation as will prevent the formation of monopolies and trusts, and yet that party has had full sway in all branches of the Government for the last three years and encouraged them from the beginning. In this declaration no sane person can be expected to believe that the party managers are sincere. It also declares that the Republican party is engaged in warfare to put down armed insurrection in the Philippines and that it will bestow the blessings of civil liberty upon all the rescued people. This seems astounding that they would attempt to ask the people of this country to accept such a statement in the face of this record to subjugate Philippines and place the people under the control and dictations of this government. This same platform speaks of Republican pride in the gold standard and their gratification in increasing the National revenues, but no expression as to how they obtained the revenue is mentioned.

There was a sensational shooting at Hopkinsville last Tuesday. Rev. W. K. Finer, one of the leading ministers of the Methodist Church, was shot by Mr. J. D. Ware, a prominent tobacco man. Mr. Finer had called upon Mr. Ware's wife and the two were in the parlor conversing when the husband appeared and asked: "What in the hell are you doing here?" There was a pause and Mr. Finer was shot in the head, receiving a slight wound. The minister claims that he was not guilty of any improper conduct; that he had called upon Mrs. Ware to talk over some Church matters, and that Mr. Ware was certainly drinking. Mr. Ware denies the minister's statement, and says that the proof justifying his course is good and sufficient. Both sides have made preparations for a strong legal fight. Mr. Finer is known here. Several years ago he preached at the Methodist church in Columbia, and the church at Clear Spring, this county, was dedicated by him.

Judge J. R. Sampson, a former citizen of Columbia, a resident of Middleborough, Bell county, is a Democratic candidate for Judge of the Court of Appeals, subject to the action of his party. The district is now represented by Judge Hazelrigg, who declines to stand for re-election. Judge Sampson is a gentleman of high character, a Democrat in whom there is no guile, and a profound and industrious lawyer, and we would be glad to hear of his election to the high and honorable position.

The Republican party is a kind of double-triggered political organization with a large "You tickle me and I'll tickle you" tablet on one trigger and federal pie on the other, and many a man has thus been caught, don't you know.

BURKSVILLE.

Brood Walker and family, of Nell, visited Mrs. Katherine Pulliam, Clay's Landing, a few days ago. Mrs. Pulliam has been seriously ill for several months but is improving.

Ed and Hugh Richardson and Hans Goff have bought "Graves" farm in Salt Lick Bend for \$2000. Mr. Graves intends buying a farm in Moore.

T. S. Scott and L. C. Cary spent Sunday at Celina.

Messrs. J. Hill, of Columbia, and Tom McMillan, of Texas, are visiting Robert McComas in Salt Lick Bend.

Miss Georgia McMillan, daughter of Prof. James P. McMillan, of Chattanooga, Tenn., formerly of this place, is visiting here.

Dr. W. C. Keen has moved back to his country house three miles from town.

There were nine applicants for teachers' certificates before the Board of Examiners last Friday and Saturday.

T. S. Scott has bought the Dunn property in the upper part of town.

H. M. Check and wife, Nashville, are visiting relatives here.

Zib Smith, Beck's Store, and Miss Cordie Hurt, of Waterview, were married in Tennessee last week.

Mrs. Ed. Holland, of Beck's Store, is dangerously ill.

REPUBLICAN VIEWS BRIEFLY SET FORTH.

Strong Gold Standard Plank—No Fiscal Policy in the Philippines—

Boer Question, Etc.

The Republican platform declares that the prosperity of the country depends upon the victory of the Republican party.

The currency plank is a straight-out declaration for the gold standard, with an added clause denouncing the project of free silver coinage except by international agreement.

The protective tariff is praised as one of the twin pillars of prosperity, but the usefulness of reciprocity under certain conditions is recognized.

Trusts are to be condemned when they restrict trade or affect prices, but the right of capital to combine is affirmed. Imperialism is briefly touched. The idea is that expansion was forced on the nation. The future of our new possessions is not clearly outlined. Home rule is to be instituted, in some degree, where possible.

A reduction of war taxes is promised, and declarations are made favoring an interoceanic canal. The civil service regulations are to be extended to the colonies.

The Boer-British war is noticed with an explanation of our non interference and a hope that the outcome will be honorable to both sides.

Our participation in the Chinese open-door movement is approved as a matter of business. Another clause calls for the protection of American citizens and their rights.

A new executive department is favored. Under it will be the consular system. More strict immigration laws and other labor reforms are demanded, as well as legislation to restore our merchant marine.

The early admission of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona to statehood is advocated.

PURDY.

Mr. E. W. Burton has been confined to his bed for several days.

Mr. James Shepherd and daughter were visiting Mr. J. M. Burton and family last Sunday.

Miss J. T. Bryant and family were visiting Mrs. Liza Bryant last Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Della Harmon and Annie Condit were visiting Mr. Beard last Saturday night.

Prof. Allen will sing at the Purdy church for the next ten Sunday's.

La st hall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 50 cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F. A. Batecock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by M. Cravens.

Breeding Hogs.

In mating for your next crop of pigs think more of what the pigs ought to look like than how the piglets will rear. We have had enough and to spare of the pedigree race.

Be sure your sows are thriving or "doing well" when you breed them. They should be gaining and putting on flesh at breeding time is considered of prime importance by many of the most successful breeders.

No well-regulated hog farm is complete without breeding crates. To be sure they are to be found on nearly all the best breeding farms, but many more can be used to splendid advantage. Any one with a spark of aptitude for tools can make one. It is not necessary to get a "patent" one, although some of these have some most excellent features.

Charles H. Marks, while acting in the capacity of nurse at the Second Division Hospital of the Fifth Army Corps at Santiago de Cuba, used a few bottles of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for diarrhoea and found it to work like a charm. For sale by M. Cravens.

Gov. Beekham



This celebrated and thoroughbred thoroughbred bull will make the present season on my farm and will be permitted to serve cows for \$1.00 cash or \$15.00 on time. Gov. Beekham is two years old and weighs 1100 pounds. I think he is the best Bull of his age I ever saw. W. L. GRADY, Gradyville, Ky.

Reduction Sale in Millinery.



We have a nice line of goods which we are now selling

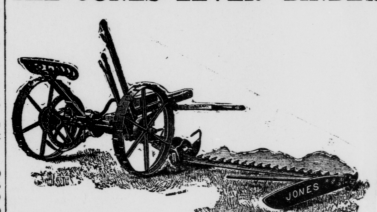
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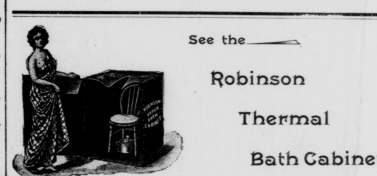
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OUR new Lumber Warehouse, which we have just completed (being situated on the railroad) is well stocked with all kinds of Dressed Lumber, Lath and Shingles. REED & MILLER, Agents, Columbia, Ky.

Russell Springs Hotel.

VAUGHN & GRAHAM, Props.

KIMBLE, - - KENTUCKY.

THE RUSSELL SPRINGS HOTEL is now open for summer boarders. It is the largest and most complete Hotel in this part of the State. Rates for adults, \$5.00 per week; for children under 12 years, \$2.50. When persons stay one month or more rates are cut to \$4.00 per week. Rooms, cared for by reasonable rates. All attention within our power will be given to make your stay a pleasant one if you come to the Russell Springs Hotel.

The circulation of The Adair County News is over 1500 weekly.

Poultry Hints.

Hens are generally most successful in hatching chickens in midsummer. This is largely due to their allowing their eggs to get too cool while off feeding.

There is less danger of Vermin with chick raised in the brooder than those kept with the hen, but it requires constant vigilance with the brooder chicks to keep them entirely clean.

The introduction of new blood into flocks of pure bred fowls poultry is quite as important as the introduction of pure bred fowls on farms where only the mongrel breeds have predominated.

The Leghorn, Dominique and Cornish game are all hardy fowls. They begin to feather at two weeks old and are soon comparatively safe. The Asiatic breeds are frequently half grown before they are in full feather.

The hen is still the farmer's best friend. She comes to his rescue in midwinter, in the spring time and in summer with the egg, the most marketable product of the farm, and keeps up a supply of groceries for the good housewife.

The poultry business has started many good business men on the road to success. The boy on the farm that can raise a few pennies can go into poultry raising in a way that he can make some money out of it. Look out for the boy that likes to work with the poultry and make it pay. He will make a business man some day, if he has a chance.—National Stockman and Farmer.

White Man Turned Yellow.

Great consternation was felt by the friends of M. O. Hogarty of Lexington Ky., when they saw he was turning yellow. His skin slowly changed color also his eyes, and he suffered terribly. His malady was Yellow Jaundice. He was treated by the best doctors, but without benefit. Then he was advised to try Electric Bitters, the wonderful Stomach and Liver remedy, and he writes: "After taking two bottles I was wholly cured." A trial proves its matchless merit for all Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles. Only 50c. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

Children have long memories and are not easily deceived the second time. Thus the Post-Dispatch reports the disfigurement of a St. Louis mother who took her five-year-old son to the photographer's, being particularly anxious to secure a good picture. The child's idea of the affair, however, seemed not to harmonize with that of his mother; for when the man with the camera began to adjust the lens and direct it toward little Edward, that young person set to howling. In vain did his mother do her best to quiet him. Edward did not want his picture taken. "Why not, my child," she said soothingly, "the gentleman won't hurt you! just smile and keep still a moment, and it will all be over before you know it." "Yes, I know it, mama," whimpered Edward, two tears running down his cheeks, "but that's what you told me at the last time!"

Now if any of your family are suffering with Chills and fever, aching of the bones, jaundice, biliousness, or any other symptoms of Malarial Poison, we earnestly solicit you to try a 50 cent bottle of Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup, for, if used according to directions we know it will cure. No Cure, No Pay. Sold by W. M. Bell, Jopka.

The high officials of the present Administration ever knew anything about the Monroe doctrine they have probably become so muddled on the subject that it is all a dream to them. They have been trying to teach Monroe doctrine in the Orient and neglecting the uneducated people at home.

A gallon of PURE LINSEED OIL, mixed with a gallon of

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THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE EAST AND THE WEST. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE NORTH AND THE SOUTH. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE CITY AND THE COUNTRY. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE WINTER AND THE SUMMER. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE DAY AND THE NIGHT. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE RAIN AND THE SUN. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE WIND AND THE CALM. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE HOT AND THE COLD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE DRY AND THE WET. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE CLEAN AND THE DIRTY. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE NEW AND THE OLD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE GOOD AND THE BAD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE RIGHT AND THE WRONG. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE TRUE AND THE FALSE. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE JUST AND THE UNJUST. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE HONEST AND THE DISHONEST. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE WISE AND THE FOOL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE BRAVE AND THE COWARD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE GOOD AND THE EVIL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE LIGHT AND THE DARK. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE LIFE AND THE DEATH. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE HEAVEN AND THE HELL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE GOD AND THE DEVIL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE ANGEL AND THE DEMON. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE SAINT AND THE SINNER. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE KING AND THE PEASANT. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE LORD AND THE SERVANT. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE MASTER AND THE SLAVE. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE FATHER AND THE SON. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE HUSBAND AND THE WIFE. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE TEACHER AND THE PUPIL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE DOCTOR AND THE PATIENT. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE SOLDIER AND THE SOLDIER. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE KING AND THE KING. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE LORD AND THE LORD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE ANGEL AND THE ANGEL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE SAINT AND THE SAINT. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE KING AND THE KING. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE LORD AND THE LORD. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE ANGEL AND THE ANGEL. THEY PAID MORE FOR THE SAME PAINT IN THE SAINT AND THE SAINT.

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Letter to Mr. Bryan.

John Brisbane Walker has written a letter upon the issues of the campaign to Wm. J. Bryan. The letter is dated at Mr. Walker's home at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., and is as follows: "Upon every hand the next Presidential election is regarded as likely to be the most important in the history of the Republic."

"The question which will be uppermost is not simply a question of good or bad legislation, but the finality shall the republic give place to a form of government which will be the equivalent of a monarchy or worse? Shall Democratic forms of government be replaced by the rule of the few unscrupulous men who have no regard for the general welfare or life of Republican institutions?"

"With the Democratic party alone the hope of reform remains. The man who by his error of judgment makes the success of that party impossible may be responsible for the downfall of the republic."

CHRIST UPON US.

"The Democratic party represents all that there is in concrete form of opposition to the dangerous state of affairs which now threatens; upon it depends the preservation of Republican institutions. To succeed it must have the vote of the great majority of honest men."

"In such a crisis the worst enemy of the Democratic party and of the country is that man who would narrow the platform and creed under which voters must act upon lines which may exclude those who are sincerely anxious for the public welfare. To repeat, the success of the Democratic party is necessary for the preservation of government by the people. There are many issues for which the Democratic party stands, but there is only one issue upon which the voters are certain to be united. Imperialism, trust, rule, militarism, all mean but one thing, all represent but one issue, and upon this issue every Lincoln Republican and every Jefferson Democrat may unite."

The finance issue, while of immediate importance, must have no place in this campaign; its introduction will endanger more vital interests. No man has a better right to say this than I, who 25 years ago made it a part of my record in taking charge of the Washington Daily Chronicle that I should be allowed to advocate the renomination of silver, and in the Buffalo Convention of 1896 wrote and secured the adoption of the clause indorsing the Chicago platform.

BELIEVES IN BRYAN.

"I know what men are saying and thinking. With a large personal acquaintance and correspondence scattered all over the country, I am satisfied that those Democrats who were most earnest in urging the adoption of the Chicago platform in 1896, and are most anxious for the success of the Democratic institutions to-day, look at this matter in the light which we have here indicated. You have reason to know my belief in your great personal fitness to represent the interests of the people in the next campaign. I trust your sincerity, your imperviousness alike to fear, to flattery, to purchase. I trust to your wisdom to conduct the affairs of the nation. But your leadership will be dearly purchased if, in order to secure it, we must adopt a platform which, however just in the execution, is unwise and unnecessary at this time, and which must result in driving away those voters which are necessary to perpetuate Republican institutions."

A Card of Thanks.

I wish to say that I feel under lasting obligations for what Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has done for our family. We have used it in so many cases of coughs, lung troubles and whooping cough, and it has always given the most perfect satisfaction, we feel greatly indebted to the manufacturers of this remedy and wish them to please accept our hearty thanks.—Respectfully, Mrs. S. Dorr, Des Moines, Iowa. For sale by M. Craven.

Republican extravagance could not be entirely curbed, even in a presidential year. The appropriations made the Republican Congress at the session just ended aggregate \$700,000,000.

The Appetite of a Goat.

Is envied by all whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. But such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, give a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c at T. E. Paull's drug store.

Democrats ask nothing more of the people than that the Republican party be judged by the record made by the Republican majority in both branches, at the session of congress just ended.

Imaginary Ills.

It is probably within bounds to say that large proportion, if not fully one half, of the troubles which afflict mankind are wholly imaginary, or at least greatly exaggerated. A considerable part of every physician's practice consists in the treatment of minor ailments and of diseases which exist only in his patients' imagination.

If these were all, and the only result of too much introspection and notice of supposed symptoms were to increase the physician's income, there would not be so much said against it. But, unfortunately imaginary diseases cause a great deal of suffering—as much, if not more, than the real troubles of which they are the counterfeits.

There are few more wretched objects than the confirmed hypochondriac, whose days and nights are spent in counting his pulse, looking at his tongue, noticing every flutter in his chest or little shooting pain in his head, and reading medical books.

Such a man is perhaps more to be pitied than the victim of fatal disease, for while he may live longer his life is so barren of happiness as to be scarcely worth the having.

There is almost no disease which one who makes a consistent study of every little unusual sensation cannot immediately himself to have, but heart disease is perhaps the one offense most insinuated. It is easy to count the pulse and to imagine queer sensations in the chest, and the rhythm of the heart beats changes under such slight provocation, especially if there is a little indigestion, that nothing is simpler than to imagine oneself the subject of some serious disease of this organ.

The habit is thus formed of watching one's symptoms, and one formed is it most difficult to overcome. The best protection against the acquiring of such a habit is education in childhood. Parents should never appear solicitous nor take notice of every little ache or pain with which a child runs to its mother. A sharp stitch in the side does not always mean pneumonia, nor a stomach ache appendicitis, and children should be taught to disregard little discomforts. If a child is given a very light supper and put to bed when it complains it will soon learn not to exaggerate small ills.

Real sickness usually makes its presence known by unmistakable signs, and there is slight danger that a manly disregard of minor ailments and a refusal to be frightened by them will lead to the neglect of any really serious trouble.—Youths' Companion.

Worth Knowing.

Those who have good brood mares in foal should remember that they will do better and bring better colts if they are given a little exercise each day. They can do much of the light farm work even up to the time of dropping the foal, and again by the time the colt is a week old. But this does not mean that they should be starved drawing heavy loads, nor that they must be worked into a perspiration in a hot day, a warm day in the spring being worse than a hot day in July. Long drives are bad for them, but not as bad as fast mile. Slipping on ice or plunging through snowdrifts may cause abortion. Keep them in good, thrifty condition, but do not make them over fat, and do not give them heating food like corn or corn meal. Good clover or early cut fine hay and a mixture of bran and oats makes the best feed for them until they can get to grass, as it keeps the bowels open, and a few roots occasionally are good. Nor do we know of any objections to a daily feed of snailage if it is at hand, instead of the roots. If our Eastern farmers realized that the bringing of a colt does not mean the loss of the use of the mare for several months in a year, but only a careful use of her, and that such use is better for her than idleness, we think they would raise more colts than they do. Many of them we know have mares that would make good brood mares, and one need not go far in most sections to find a good stallion. A good colt is likely to command a good price for the next five years, and a farmer who has a good mare could raise one and not feel that it had cost him anything when 3 years old, excepting the stallion fee.

If the people wish to keep on paying war taxes and to see the construction of the Nicaragua canal indefinitely postponed they will keep the Republicans in control of congress and the federal government.

L. Hardesty & Son, Mt. Eden, Ky., say: "We consider Morley's tasteless Chill Syrup the best we ever sold. We sold 40 bottles of it this month and not a failure in the lot. In fact, when our doctors find a case hard to cure, they send us for Morley's Tasteless Chill Syrup and it never fails to cure." Sold by W. M. Bell, Jopka, Ky.

The Cream.

Train the butter into good habits with her first calf.

Lack of color generally abides in poor butter.

Making butter-milk flavored butter may be stopped by washing the butter-milk out.

The smaller the globules can be made in bringing the butter the easier it will be to free from buttermilk.

The way to secure the best quality of butter is to have the way by providing the best facilities.

About two thirds of what a cow consumes goes to her bodily support, the balance to milk production.

One advantage in grinding the food is that to some extent the animal organism is relieved of the labor of performing the work of digestion.

Motherhood is its largest development is the object sought in the profitable cow.

Even for milk production a hearty, thrifty condition is quite as important as it is for the production of fat. A cow to be a good milk must be a good feeder.

If pumpkins are fed to the milk cows the seed should be taken out and the pumpkin cut up into small pieces, so that the cows can easily eat them.

While some breeds of cows are better adapted to the dairy than others, first-class butter has been made from the milk of nearly every known breed.

Sugar and buttermilk can be dissolved out of butter, but can never be worked out beyond a certain point.

The lesson to learn is to feed the cow all that she will consume readily of a good variety of food that is easily digested and to give her pure water, air and good milk.

Keep the milk as sweet and thick as possible so that the fat globules (or cream) as they ascend to the surface will be obstructed as little as possible.

When young heifers calve and it becomes necessary to train them to milk use the utmost gentleness. The cow will appreciate the kindness. It will also be a material help if a little feed is given at milking time. It will occupy her attention and she will be less likely to become excited.

An advantage with the dairy cow that gives a good flow of milk during the winter is that she will bring in money when it is much needed and when the average farmer has very little opportunity of making money, and in this way she may be made a valuable acquisition to the farm.—American Grange Bulletin.

It Saved His Leg. P. A. Danforth, of Lagrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucken's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by T. E. Paull, druggist.

To Cure La Grippe In Two Days. Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature on every box. 25 cents.

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—TO BE HELD WITH THE—
Baptist Church,
Gradyville, Kentucky, July 10—12, 1900.

- Tuesday Morning.**
- Devotional Exercises—W. S. Cave.
 - How may we unify and build up the Lord's work in our section?—W. S. Dugdon.
 - First study in Romans—J. C. Massie.

- Tuesday Afternoon.**
- Devotional Exercises—Robert Wilson.
 - Responsibility in the ordination of Ministers.—T. T. Underwood.
 - First study in the Philippians.—W. B. McGarity.
 - The pastor and his work.—J. B. Ferrell.

- Wednesday Morning.**
- Devotional Exercises—B. Y. Wilson.
 - By whom is a man called to the ministry and what are the evidences of a call.—W. L. Pierce.
 - Second study in Philippians.—W. B. McGarity.
 - Exegesis, Matt. 28, 19—20.—A. C. Cree.
 - Soul-winning.—W. B. Cave.

- Wednesday Afternoon.**
- Devotional Exercises—J. A. Pierce.
 - Second study in Romans—J. C. Massie.
 - How I prepare my sermons—James Cook.
 - Exegesis, John, 10: 27—28.—W. B. McGarity.

- Thursday Morning.**
- Devotional Exercises—H. S. Bell.
 - The Bible and Missions.—J. C. Massie and H. T. Jesse.
 - How I study my Bible—Edgar W. Barnett.
 - Third study in Romans—J. C. Massie.
 - Bible reading on giving.—T. M. Green.

- Thursday Afternoon.**
- Devotional Exercises—E. F. Tucker.
 - Third study in Philippians—W. B. McGarity.
 - Is representation necessary to church membership? General Discussion.

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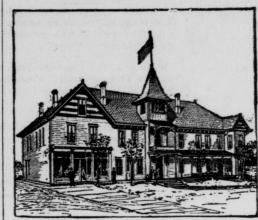
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- Saturday, 10 a. m.**
- Devotional exercises—J. M. Floyd.
 - What interest ought we take in carrying out the commission.—C. Jones and Jacob Mayfield.
 - Who ought to support the preaching of the Gospel—Wm. S. Taylor and W. B. Cave.
 - Is there any scripture for appointing a committee to see an erring brother.—D. F. Epperson and J. M. P. Floyd.
 - Is the Lord's Supper restricted?—J. C. Clemens and J. J. Cooper.

- Sunday Morning, 9 a. m.**
- Devotional exercises—Wm. H. Collins.
 - Is it the duty of every church to have a Sunday school and who should attend.—C. F. Breeding and J. W. New.
 - Ought not the members of the church to read the scriptures more.—C. C. Trimble and F. G. Merrieks.
 - Sermon—Jacob Mayfield.
 - The Question Box on hand each day.

- Everybody invited to attend.

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